

Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry "documentary" days before the election is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation.

They proclaim that this is a NEWS program. I would think that meant, at the very least, that the program be factually accurate and related to recent events. Obviously, this propaganda does not meet even this minimal standard.

In fact, I think this action by Sinclair Broadcasting is surely an abuse of their license responsibilities and probably illegal.

This shows why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard.

Thank you,  
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